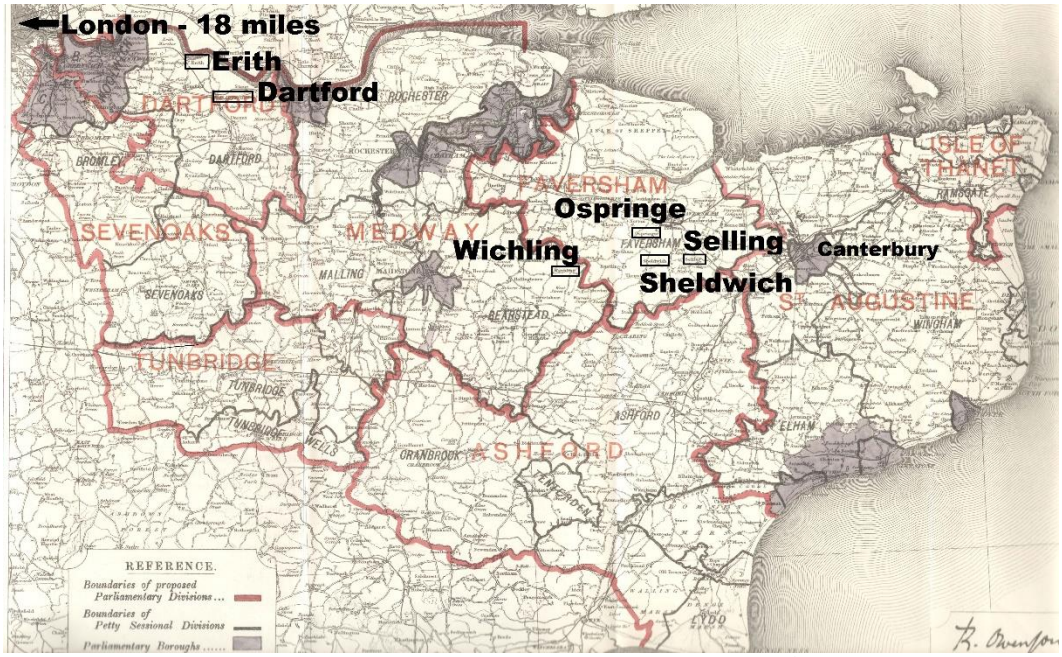
# The Descendants of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook of Kent County, England

As early as 1771 the Rook family was living in Wichling, near the middle of Kent County, England. By 1812 Samuel Rook had moved to Selling in the Faversham district. Later Samuel and his family lived in the nearby village of Sheldwich. About 1841, Samuel's son Stephen moved to Dartford in the western part of Kent, not far from London, and died in Erith. Other descendants of Samuel Rook lived in Ospringe.



Annotated map of Kent County, England[1]

## First Generation

**1. SAMUEL ROOK** was born about 1771 in Wichling, Maidstone Borough, Kent, England.[2] He died about April 1855 in Sheldwich, Swale Borough, Kent.[3]

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[1] Kent, England County Map, *Mappery* (http://www.mappery.com/Kent-England-County-Map).

[2] "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Samuel Rook, born 1771, Sheldwich.

[3] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Samuel Rook, Faversham.

Samuel married **SARAH COX** on 12 October 1812 in St. Mary the Virgin, Selling, Kent.[4] Sarah, the daughter of James Cox and Ann Giles, was born on 1 August 1784 in Hothfield, Kent, England.[5] She died in October 1861 in Kent.[6]

Samuel and Sarah are buried in St. James Churchyard in Sheldwich.[7]

In 1813, when his first child was baptized, Samuel was a pauper in the Selling workhouse.[8] Later he moved his family to Sheldwich.[9] In 1841 he was an agricultural laborer and in 1851 he was again considered a pauper.[10] After his death, his wife Sarah received poor relief in 1861.[11]

Children of Samuel Rook and Sarah Cox:

2 i. STEPHEN ROOK, baptized on 11 April 1813 in Selling, Kent, and married on 28 November 1841 in St. Mary Magdalene, Woolwich, England, SARAH BLAKE. He died on 4 November 1884 at 5 Victoria Street, Belvedere, Erith, Kent.

3 ii. ELIZABETH ROOK, born on 21 May 1815 in Sheldwich, and married on 16 August 1834 in Selling, CHARLES WEBB. She died in June 1837 in Kent.

4 iii. SARAH ROOK, born on 11 January 1818 in Sheldwich, and married THOMAS BARBER. She died in September 1890 in Faversham, Kent.

5 iv. MATILDA ROOK, born on 11 June 1820 in Sheldwich, and married on 12 October 1844 in Sheldwich, GEORGE SHILLING. She died on 12 May 1880 in Ospringe, Kent.

6 v. CHARLES HENRY ROOK, born on 22 August 1822 in Sheldwich, and married circa 1855, ELLEN LANE. He died on 3 October 1901 in Wilmot Township, Waterloo, Ontario.

7 vi. REBECCA ROOK, born on 6 March 1825 in Sheldwich and married on 12 October 1845 in Ospringe, Kent, THOMAS JOHNCOCK. She died on 8 December 1886 in Selling.

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[4] Canterbury Archdeaconry Banns 1754-1928, Canterbury Cathedral Archives, U3/229/1/9; FHL microfilm 1850190.

[5] Citation needed for birth date. For birth place see "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Rook, Sheldwich.

[6] Citation needed for death.

[7] For Samuel see *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Samuel Rook, Memorial # 178035572. For Sarah see Sheldwich St. James parish, Sheldwich, Kent, England Burials, 1813-1894, p. 57, Sarah Rook, 1861; digital image, "Canterbury Archdeaconry Burials 1538-1988, Canterbury Cathedral Archives, U3/186

[8] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 5.

[9] Based on the birth places of his later children and census records.

[10] "1841 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Samuel Rook, born 1776, Sheldwich. "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Samuel Rook, born 1771, Sheldwich.

[11] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Book, born 1782, Sheldwich.

vii. GEORGE ROOK, born on 14 December 1828 in Sheldwich.[12] He served in the Royal Regiment of Artillery from 1848 until 1854.[13]
viii. LYDDY ROOK.[14]

## Second Generation

**2. STEPHEN ROOK**, son of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was baptized on 11 April 1813 in Selling, Kent, England.[15] He added an E to the Rook surname as he thought it might make it sound nicer.[16] He died on 4 November 1884 at 5 Victoria Street, Belvedere, Erith, Kent, and was buried in Erith.[17]

Stephen married **SARAH BLAKE** on 28 November 1841 in St. Mary Magdalene, Woolwich, England.[18] Sarah, the daughter of Michael Blake and Sarah Batchelor, was baptized on 5 February 1809 in Erith.[19] She died about 3 September 1881 and was buried in Erith.[20]

After moving from his birthplace in eastern Kent, he resided in the Dartford district of western Kent.[21] In 1841 he was an agricultural laborer and lived in the village of Lessness Heath in the Erith civil parish.[22] He was similarly employed as a hay binder in 1871.[23] The family moved around the area and lived in the village of Beandonwell in 1851, in Joneses Cottages in 1861, 2 Scean Cottages in Lessness Heath in 1871 and at 5 Wrens Cottage in Belvedere village in 1881.[24]

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[12] Citation needed for birth date. For birth place see "UK, Royal Hospital Chelsea Pensioner Soldier Service Records, 1760-1920," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Rook, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

[13] "UK, Royal Hospital Chelsea Pensioner Soldier Service Records, 1760-1920," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Rook, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

[14] Selling St. Mary the Virgin, Selling, Kent, England, Composite, 1747-1812, [no p.]; Canterbury Cathedral Archives, U3/229/1/3; FHL microfilm 2343739 item 5. [Baptism records of children of Sarah Cox; child of "Samson" Rooke]; Burial records of Lyddy Rooke.

[15] "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, 11 Apr 1813, Selling.

[16] Citation needed.

[17] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Deaths and Burials, 1813-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, 8 Nov 1884, Erith.

[18] "London, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1921," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook – Sarah Blake, 28 Nov 1841.

[19] "England & Wales Christening Records, 1530-1906," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Blake, 5 Feb 1809, Erith.

[20] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Deaths and Burials, 1813-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Rook, 3 Sep 1881, Erith.

[21] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 5.

[22] "1841 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, born 1814, Erith.

[23] "1871 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, born 1809, Erith.

[24] "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rock, born 1804, Erith. "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Roak,

Children of Stephen Rook and Sarah Blake:

8 i. NAOMI ROOK, born in 1844 in Erith and married on 9 March 1868 in East Wickham, Kent, JOHN CREW. She died on 24 February 1919 at 9 Wrens Cottages, Belvedere, Kent.

9. ii. SYDNEY ROOK, born about January 1847 in Erith and married on 2 May 1874 in East Wickham, Kent, MARTHA BEDSER. He died in March 1919 in the Brentford registration district, Middlesex, England.

iii. ERNEST ROOK was born about 1852 in Belvedere, Kent.[25] He died in June 1905 in Kent.[26]

10 iv. STEPHEN RICHARD ROOK, born on 30 March 1853 in Belvedere and married on 29 September 1883 in London, EMMA FAIRBAIRN. He died on 3 January 1940 at 62 Picardy Street, Belvedere.

**3. ELISABETH ROOK**, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was born on 21 May 1815 in Sheldwich, Kent, England, died in June 1837 in Kent and was buried in St. James Churchyard in Sheldwich.[27]

Elisabeth married **CHARLES WEBB** on 16 August 1834 in Selling, Kent, England.[28] Charles was born about 1797 in England, died on 20 April 1859 in Selling and was buried in St. Mary the Virgin Churchyard, Westerham, Sevenoaks district, Kent.[29]

Child of Elizabeth Rook:

11 i. ELLEN ROSE ROOK, born in 1832 in Selling and married CHARLES RAISON. She died circa April 1901 in Chelsea, Middlesex, England.

Child of Elizabeth Rook and Charles Webb:

i. EDWARD WILLIAM WEBB was born on 22 February 1835 in Selling, died on 7 April 1838 in Selling and was buried in St. Mary the Virgin Churchyard.[30]

**4. SARAH ROOK**, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was born on 11 January 1818 in Sheldwich, Kent, England, and died about September 1890 in the Faversham registration district, Kent.[31]

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born 1812, Erith. "1871 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, born 1809, Erith. "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rooke, born 1811, Erith.

[25] "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ernest Rooke, Erith.

[26] Citation needed for death.

[27] *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Elizabeth Rook Webb, Memorial # 178044277.

[28] "England, Select Marriages, 1538–1973," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Chares Webb - Elisabeth Rook, 16 Aug 1834.

[29] *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Charles Webb, Memorial # 178044151.

[30] *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Edward Webb, Memorial # 178044060.

[31] Citation needed for birth. For death see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Barber, 1890, Faversham.

Sarah married **THOMAS BARBER** probably between 1843 and 1845.[32] Thomas, the son of William and Elizabeth Barber, was born on 21 May 1815 in Ospringe, Kent.[33]

Children of Sarah Rook and Thomas Barber:

i. EMMA FILMER ROOK was born about January 1843 in the Faversham registration district.[34]

ii. THOMAS HENRY BARBER was born about October 1845 in the Faversham registration district.[35]

12 iii. MARY ANN BARBER, born on 18 February 1848 in Ospringe and married on 28 March 1880 in Tottenham, Middlesex, England, JAMES MARK JENNINGS. She died on 14 February 1925 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, England.

13 iv. ELLEN ROSE BARBER, born in 1851 in Ospringe and married on 4 June 1876 in St. George the Martyr, Queen Square, England, JOSEPH GEORGE GRIFFITH.

v. MATILDA JANE BARBER was born in April 1854 in Ospringe.[36] She died in England.[37] Matilda married ALBERT FREDERICK BRUCE on 5 August 1907 in Barking, Essex, England.[38]

vi. SARAH ANN BARBER was born in 1860 in Ospringe.[39]

**5. MATILDA ROOK**, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was born on 11 June 1820 in Sheldwich, Kent, England, died on 12 May 1880 in Ospringe, Kent, and was buried in St. Peter and St. Paul Churchyard, Headcorn, Maidstone Borough, Kent.[40]

Matilda married **GEORGE SHILLING** on 12 October 1844 in Sheldwich.[41] George, the son of John Shilling and Mary Sommers, was born on 17 March 1822 in Badlesmere, Kent, and died on 1 April 1859 in Badlesmere.[42]

Children of Matilda Rook and George Shilling:

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[32] Citation needed for marriage.

[33] Citation needed for birth.

[34] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Emma Filmer Rook, 1843, Faversham.

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[36] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Matilda Jane Barber, 1854, Faversham.

[37] Citation needed for death.

[38] "Essex, England, Select Church of England Parish Registers, 1518-1960," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Albert Frederick Bruce - Matilda Jane Barber, 5 Aug 1907, Barking.

[39] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah A Barber, Ospringe.

[40] *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Matilda Rook Shilling, Memorial # 178043396.

[41] Citation needed for marriage. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Shilling - Matilda Rook, 1844, Faversham.

[42] Citation needed for birth. Citation needed for death. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Shilling, 1859, Faversham.

i. MARY ANN SHILLING was born in 1845 in Sheldwich.[43]

14 ii. CHARLES EDWARD SHILLING, born on 26 July 1846 in Badlesmere and married on 14 October 1865 in The Parish Church, Throwley, Kent, JANE HORTON. He died in 1833 and was buried on 28 February 1883 in Ospringe.

15 iii. ELLEN ROSE SHILLING, born on 26 November 1848 in Badlesmere and married on 23 November 1867 in Westwell, Kent, HENRY WILLIAM PEPPER. She died on 28 February 1929 in Faversham, Kent.

iv. WILLIAM SHILLING was born in 1851 in Badlesmere and baptized on 30 March 1851.[44] William married Emma Kemp in October 1872 in the West Ashford Registration Disctict, Kent.[45]

16 v. WALTER SHILLING, born circa October 1853 in Badlesmere and married on 16 October 1875 in Preston, Faversham, CAROLINE ELIZABETH POST. He died on 3 October 1913 in Faversham.

vi. MATILDA SHILLING was born in 1857 in Badlesmere.[46] She died in 1912 in Woolwich, London.[47] Matilda married GEORGE BRENCHLEY on 7 August 1875 in St. Mary Cray, Kent.[48] George, the son of Stephen and Matilda Brenchley, was born in 1856 in Hernhill, Kent.[49] He died in 1907 in Woolwich.[50]

17 vii. DORCAS SHILLING, born on 6 February 1858 in Badlesmere and married on 27 November 1880 in Faversham, GEORGE TUMBER. She died on 29 August 1941 in Sittingbourne, Kent.

**6. CHARLES HENRY ROOK**, son of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was born on 22 August 1822 in Sheldwich, Kent, England.[51] He died on 3 October 1901 in Wilmot Township, Waterloo, Ontario.[52]

Charles married **ELLEN LANE** circa 1855. "A marriage record has not been found for Charles and Ellen Roach. At the time of their marriage, Ellen was the widow of John Cornell and the mother of John's children William and Eleanor

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[43] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mary Ann Shilling, 1845, Faversham.

[44] For birth see "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Hilling, Badlesmere. For baptism see "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Shilling, 30 Mar 1851, Badlesmere.

[45] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Shilling – Emma Kemp, 1872, West Ashford.

[46] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Matilda Shilling, Badlesmere.

[47] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Matilda Brenchley, 1912, Woolwich.

[48] "England, Select Marriages, 1538–1973," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Brenchley - Matilda Shilling, 7 Aug 1875.

[49] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Brenchley, Hernhill.

[50] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Brenchley, 1907, Woolwich.

[51] Sheldwich St. James Parksh, Sheldwich, Kent, England, Baptisms, 1813-1856, p. 22, no. 176, Charles Rook, 1822.

[52] "Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Henry Roach, No. 028119. Birth calculated from age at death. Citation needed for birth place.

Cornell."[53] Ellen was born on 28 September 1837 in Copetown, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, and died on 12 May 1886 in Petersburg, Wilmot Township, Waterloo, Ontario.[54] She was buried in May 1886 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church Cemetery in Petersburg. Ellen married first, JOHN CORNELL**,** on 24 March 1853 at the Wesleyan Parsonage in Dumfries Township, Ontario, Canada.[55] The marriage was performed by Reverend F. Berry, a travelling minister. John was born on 24 March 1835 in Dumfries and died in 1855.[56] According to the newspaper account of her first marriage, in 1853 she lived in Copetown, a small community, in Beverly Township, Wentworth County.[57] No record of Ellen has been found prior to her marriage.[58] The newspaper account for her first marriage recorded her surname as Delaney but no other record has been found for Ellen using this surname.

Charles Rook served in the British Army's 66th Regiment of Foot in 1841 in Gosport, England.[59] The 66th Regiment of Foot was in Canada in 1840 and later was sent to Gibraltar in July 1845 and then to the West Indies in 1848.[60] Charles was listed as serving in the regiment in 1851 while in Barbados, West Indies.[61] The Regiment was then sent back to Canada in 1851 and had soldiers stationed in Toronto, Montreal and Quebec.[62] Charles retired soon after and received a gratuity of £10.[63] "Charles Rook's retirement from the military is right about the time that Charles Henry Roach appears in Canada and marries Ellen Lane. It may be that after several years in the service in the military, the last three years in Canada, Charles decided to stay in Canada where he may have felt there more opportunities for him."[64]

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[53] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach Report #1," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 3 Mar 2017, p. 2.

[54] "Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Allan Roach, No. 018143. Birth calculated from age at death. Citation needed for birth place.

[55] *Christian Guardian*, Toronto, 30 March 1853.

[56] Citation needed for John Cornell's birth information.

[57] *Christian Guardian*, Toronto, 30 March 1853.

[58] The 1851 Census of Canada is incomplete. Copetown was located partially in Ancaster and Beverly. Ancaster, while complete, contains no records for Ellen. Beverly is missing Part 1 and in Part 2 only contains Wards 3, 4 and 5. No records for Ellen are in the surviving pieces for Beverly.

[59] "British Army, Worldwide Index 1841," *FindMyPast.com* (https://www.findmypast.com/), Charles Rook, private, 66th Foot.

[60] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 9.

[61] "British Army, Worldwide Index 1851," *FindMyPast.com* (https://www.findmypast.com/), Charles Rook, private, 66th Foot.

[62] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 9.

[63] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 9.

[64] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 9.

The military records combined with DNA matches for Mary Beth Mueller and other family members provide strong evidence that Charles Rook was the same Charles Henry Roach who married Ellen Lane.[65]

Charles, now known as Charles Roach, worked as a section foreman for the Grand Trunk Railway in Canada. For a period of time, the Roach family lived in Berlin (now Kitchener) around 1857 and then in Thorndale, a village between London and Stratford in Ontario in the early 1860s. Charles was one of the first section foreman in Thorndale and the family was one of the early families associated with St. George's Anglican Church in Thorndale.[66] According the 1861 Census of Canada, the family lived in a one-story frame house in Thorndale. Charles was a member of the Church of England while the four children were Wesleyan Methodists. Between 1865 and 1867 the family moved to Petersburg in Wilmot Township where Charles also worked as a section foreman for the Grand Trunk Railway. When the family was enumerated on the 1871 Census of Canada in Petersburg all the family were members of the Anglican Church but attended the local Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

Timeline of Events for the Charles Roach Family

| **Date** | **Place** | **Event** |
|---|---|---|
| 1822 Aug 22 | Sheldwich, Kent Co., England | Baptism of Charles Rook |
| 1837 Sep 28 | Toronto, Ontario, Canada | Birth of Ellen Lane |
| 1841 | Gosport, England | Charles Rook serves in British Army's 66th Regiment of Foot |
| 1851 | Barbados, West Indies | Charles Rook serves in British Army's 66th Regiment of Foot |
| 1853 Mar 24 | Dumfries, Ontario, Canada | Ellen Delaney/Lane marries John Cornell |
| 1854 | Eastern Canada | Charles Rook musters out of the 66th Regiment of Foot. |
| 1854 Aug 7 | Copetown, Wentworth Co., Canada | William Francis Cornell reportedly born |
| 1855 circa | Ontario, Canada | Death of John Cornell |
| 1855 Aug 19 | Copetown, Wentworth Co., Ontario (or Thorndale, Middlesex Co. Ontario) | Eleanor "Ellenor" Anne Cornell born |
| 1855 circa | Ontario, Canada | Charles Henry Roach marries Ellen (Lane) Cornell |
| 1857 Jan 8 | Canada | Sarah Elizabeth Roach born |
| 1860 Nov 13 | Ontario, Canada | Charles Henry Roach, Jr., born |

[65] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 1.

[66] Ila Logan, *Through the years in West Nissouri, 1818-1967* (1967)

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| 14 Aug 1861 | Nissouri West Twp., Middlesex Co., Ontario, Canada West | Charles Roach household listed on census with Charles working as section foreman for the Grand Trunk Railway |
| 1862 circa | Ontario, Canada, likely Middlesex Co. | Mary Margaret Roach born |
| 1863 Sep 6 | Thorndale, Middlesex Co., Ontario, Canada | George Walter Roach born |
| 1865 May 29 | Thorndale, Middlesex Co., Ontario, Canada | Samuel James Roach born |
| 1867 | Wilmot Twp., Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Charles Roach, foreman, Grand Trunk Railway, in a directory |
| 1871 | Wilmot Twp., Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Charles Roach household listed on census |
| 1881 | Wilmot Twp., Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Charles Roach household listed on census |
| 1886 May 12 | Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Death of Ellen (Lane) (Cornell) Roach |
| 1891 | Wilmot Twp., Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Charles Roach, Jr., household listed on census |
| 1901 Oct 3 | Wilmot Div., Waterloo Co., Ontario, Canada | Death of Charles Henry Roach at 78 years, 1 month, 11 days |

Children of Charles Henry Roach and Ellen Lane:

18 iii. SARAH ELIZABETH ROACH born on 8 January 1857 in Berlin, Ontario, Canada and married on 1 July 1878 in Stratford, Ontario, Canada, THOMAS THOMSON. She died on 15 June 1911 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan.

19 iv. CHARLES HENRY ROACH born on 13 November 1860, in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 31 March 1885 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, MAGDALENA BAYER. He died on 5 March 1927 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada.

v. MARY MARGARET ROACH was born in 1862 in Minden or Thorndale, Hamilton, Ontario,[67] and died on 4 May 1919 in Timiskaming, Ontario, Canada.[68] She married on 2 March 1877 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, LOUIS BEILSTEIN.[69]

[67] Birth calculated from age at death.

[68] Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), No. 031383, Mary Margaret Beilstein.

[69] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Series: MS932; Reel: 58, No. 012098, Louis Beilstein & Mary Margaret Roach.

Louis was born in 1865 in Ontario to Philip Beilstein and Johnetta Peters,[70] and died on 12 May 1949.[71]

20 vi. GEORGE WALTER ROACH born in September 1863, in Thorndale, Ontario, Canada, and married on 17 October 1883 in Amulree, North Easthope, Perth County, Ontario, Canada, ANNA ELIZABETH KRUG. He died on 13 July 1924, in York, Ontario, Canada.

21 vii SAMUEL JAMES ROACH born on 29 May 1865, in Thorndale, Ontario, Canada, and married on 23 May 1893, in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, MARY ELLEN MCEVOY. He died on 12 May 1936 in Grand Rapids.

**7. REBECCA ROOK**, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Cox) Rook, was born on 6 March 1825 in Sheldwich.[72] She died on 8 December 1886 in Selling.[73]

Rebecca married **THOMAS JOHNCOCK** on 12 October 1845 in Ospringe, Kent.[74] Thomas, son of John Johncock and Mary Coppins, was born on 31 March 1822 in Ospringe.[75] He died in 1911 in Dartford, Kent.[76]

Children of Rebecca Rook and Thomas Johncock:

22 i. ELIZA JOHNCOCK, born in 1847 in Ospringe and married in 1867 in Faversham ROBERT SCOTT. She died in 1906 in Dartford.

23 ii. EDWARD ELIJAH JOHNCOCK, born in 1853 in Ospringe and married circa October 1874 in Faversham SARAH ANN ELIZABETH BARBER. He died in 1938 in Malling, Kent.

24 iii. BENJAMIN JOHNCOCK, born circa June 1860 in Selling and married circa October 1887 in Faversham SARAH ANN HANDFORD. He died in 1893 in Dartford and was buried on 13 May 1893.

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[70] Household of Philip Beilstein, Bentinck, Ontario, Canada, 1871 Canada Census, Roll: C-9951; Page: 27; Family No: 95 and Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 87, Henry Beilstein.

[71] New Liskeard Pioneer Cemetery, New Liskeard, Timiskaming district, Ontario, Canada; Find A Grave Memorial# 80317028.

[72] Citation needed for birth.

[73] "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Rebecca Johncock, 8 Dec 1886, Selling.

[74] Citation needed for marriage. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Thomas Johncock – Rebecca Rook, 1845, Faversham.

[75] Citation needed for birth.

[76] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Thomas Johncock, 1911, Dartford

## Third Generation

**8. NAOMI ROOK**, daughter of Stephen and Sarah (Blake) Rook, was born in 1844 in Erith, Kent, England.[77] She died on 24 February 1919 at 9 Wrens Cottages, Belvedere, Kent.[78]

Naomi married **JOHN CREW** on 9 March 1868 in East Wickham, Kent.[79] John was born about 1835 in Westminster, London.[80]

Children of Naomi Rook and John Crew:

i. JOHN CREW, born about 1869 in Lessness Heath, Kent, England.[81]
ii. ANNIE CREW, born about 1870 in Lessness Heath.[82]

**9. SYDNEY ROOK**, son of Stephen and Sarah (Blake) Rook, was born in 1847 in Erith, Kent, England.[83] He died in March 1919 in the Brentford registration district, Middlesex, England.[84]

Sydney married **MARTHA BEDSER**, daughter of William Bedser and Amelia Templeman, on 2 May 1874 in East Wickham, Kent.[85] Martha was born on 4 October 1846 in and died in England.[86]

Children of Sydney Rook and Martha Bedser:

i. EDITH EMILY ROOKE, born about 1874 in Belvedere, Kent, and died in September 1918 in Reigate Registration Disctict, Surrey, England.[87] She married CHARLES WILLIAM GEORGE PREVETT, son of James Prevett and Harriett Gardiner, on 4 January 1913 in the Holy Trinity Church, Paddington, England.[88] Charles, born about 1860 in Walton On The Hill, Surrey, England, died on 27 May 1935 in Surrey.[89]

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[77] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Naomi Roak, Erith.

[78] Citation needed for death.

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[80] "1871 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), John Crew, Erith.

[81] "1871 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), John Crew, Erith.

[82] "1871 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Annie Crew, Erith.

[83] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sydney Roak, Erith.

[84] "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sydney Rooke, Mar 1919, Brentford.

[85] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1935," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sydney Rooke & Martha Bedser, 2 May 1874.

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[87] For birth see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edith E. Rooke, Acton. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edith E. Privett, Sep 1918.

[88] "London, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1921," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles George William Privett & Edith Emily Rooke, 4 Jan 1913.

[89] For birth see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Chas Willm Previt, Walton on the Hill. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles William George Privett, 27 May 1935.

25 ii. SYDNEY HARRY WILLIAM ROOKE, born in 1877 in Belvedere, Kent, England, and died on 24 January 1913 in Brentford Registration Disctict, Middlesex, England. He married FRANCES HARRIET BRADLEY in December 1903 in Richmond upon Thames, Surrey, England.

**10. STEPHEN RICHARD ROOK**, son of Stephen and Sarah (Blake) Rook, was born on 30 March 1853 in Belvedere, Erith, Kent, England.[90] He died on 3 January 1940 at 62 Picardy Street, Belvedere.[91] He sometimes went by Richard Stephen Rooke.[92]

Stephen married **EMMA FAIRBAIRN** on 29 September 1883 in London.[93] Emma, the daughter of Francis Fairbairn and Emma Smith, was born in 1864 in Bexley Heath, Kent and died on 21 June 1935 in Dartford.[94]

In 1871 he worked as a laborer in a gun factory.[95] Ten years later he was an agricultural laborer.[96]

Children of Stephen Richard Rook and Emma Fairbairn:

26 i. EMMA ROOKE, born in 28 November 1882 at 25 George Place, Woolwich, Kent, and died in December 1971 in the Bexley registration district, Kent. She married JAMES GUILE on 21 May 1899 at St Nicholas Church, Plumstead, Kent.

27 ii. STEVEN RICHARD ROOKE, born on 20 February 1884 in Woolwich, Kent, and died on 3 August 1965 in Swanley Village, Kent He married Kate REBECCA MILLS on 20 June 1906 in Dartford, Kent.

iii. FREDERICK ROOKE, born on 16 February 1885 in Belvedere, Kent, and died on 10 April 1889 and was buried on 13 April 1889 in St John the Baptist Cemetery, Erith, Kent.[97]

28 iv. ROSE ANNIE ROOKE, born on 2 January 1887 in Belvedere, Kent, and died on 22 August 1962 in Belevdere. She married FREDERICK JOHN WOOLLARD on 26 December 1904 in Belvedere.

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[90] *Find a Grave* (http://www.findagrave.com), Stephen Rook, Memorial # 174900160.

[91] Bexley, Kent, England, Cemetery Registers, 1879-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rook, 3 Jan 1940.

[92] Rebecca Christensen, "Roach/Rook Report #2," prepared for Mary Beth Mueller, 19 Feb 2017, p. 3.

[93] Citation needed for marriage.

[94] Citation needed for parents. For birth see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Emma Rooke, Erith. For death see "Bexley, Kent, England, Cemetery Registers, 1879-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Emma Rook, 21 Jun 1935.

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[96] "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Stephen Rooke, born 1854, Erith.

[97] For birth see "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Births and Baptisms, 1813-1925," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frederick Rook, 16 Feb 1885. For burial see "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Deaths and Burials, 1813-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frederick Rook, 13 Apr 1889.

v. THOMAS ROOKE, born on 2 February 1889 in Belvedere, Kent, and died in March 1977 in the Poole registration district, Dorset, England.[98] He married ANNIE HOLDEn circa September 1924 in Kent.[99]

29 vi. ERNEST WILLIAM ROOKE, born on 20 May 1890 in Belvedere, Kent, and died on 11 July 1916 in France Flanders Rouen, Seine-Maritime, Haute-Normandie, France. He married SARAH ANN BRUMBY on 20 October 1915 at the Pumeton M Church, 9 Cottergalt, Gumsby.

vii. JESSIE ROOKE, born on 24 August 1891 in Belvedere, Kent.[100] She married HARRY WILSON circa January 1914 in the Greenwich, London, area.[101]

viii. ALICE VICTORIA ROOKE, born on 24 May 1893 in Belvedere, Kent, and died in September 1957 in the Dartford registration district.[102] She married HENRY JOHNSON on 1 October 1911 in Belvedere.[103] Henry was born about 1883 in Belvedere.[104]

30 ix. NELLIE ROOKE, born on 29 February 1895 in Belvedere, Kent, and died on 23 April 1971 in Bexley, Kent. She married first ALBERT JOSEPH WHITE on 2 April 1911 in Erith, Kent. She married second JOSEPH FIELDHOUSE in September 1919 in Dartford, Kent.

x. FLORENCE EMILY ROOKE, born between January and March 1897 in Belvedere, Kent, and died in March and was buried on 24 March 1898 in Belvedere.[105]

xi. LILY ROOKE, born about 1901 in Belvedere, Kent.[106]

xiii. IRENE ROOK, born in 11 January 1904 at 54 Picardy Street, Belvedere, Kent, and died on 22 January 1904 at 54 Picardy Street.[107]

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[99] "England & Wales, Marriage Index, 1916-2005," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Thomas Rooke and Annie Holden, Jul-Aug-Sep 1924, Kent.

[100] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Births and Baptisms, 1813-1925," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Jessie Rook, 24 Aug 1891.

[101] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Jessie Rook, Jan-Feb-Mar 1914, Greenwich.

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[103] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1935," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Henry Johnson and Alice Victoria Rooke, 1 Oct 1911.

[104] "1911 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Henry Johnson, Erith.

[105] For birth see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Florence Rook, Jan-Feb-Mar 1897, Dartford. For death see "Bexley, Kent, England, Cemetery Registers, 1879-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Florence Rook, buried 31 Mar 1898.

[106] "1911 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Lily Rook, Erith.

[107] Citation needed for birth and death. For birth registration see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Irene Rook, Jan-Feb-Mar 1904, Dartford. For death see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Irene Rook, Jan-Feb-Mar 1904, Dartford.

**11. ELLEN ROSE ROOK**, daughter of Elisabeth Rook, was born in 1832 in Selling, Kent, England.[108] She died circa April 1901 in Chelsea, Middlesex, England.[109]

Ellen married **CHARLES RAISON**.[110] Charles, the son of Roger and Sarah Raison, was born in 1825 in Hadleigh, Essex, England, and died circa April 1884 in London.[111]

Children of Ellen Rose Rook and Charles Raison:

i. CHARLES EDWIN RAISON, born circa October 1854 in Chelsea and died in December 1928 in West Ham, Essex, England.[112]

ii. ROGER DANIEL RAISON, born circa October 1856 in Chelsea, Middlesex, and died in March 1911 in Epsom, Surrey, England.[113] He married ELIZA MAUD STEVENS.[114] She was born about 1859 in Chelsea and died in March 1924 in Chelsea.[115]

31 iii. HENRY VALENTINE RAISON, born in January 1861 in Chelsea, Middlesex, and died in January 1888 in Chelsea, London. He married ELIZA MAUD STEVENS on 28 June 1880 at Holy Trinity, Brompton, England.

32 iv. WILLIAM GEORGE RAISON, born on 25 October 1863 in Chelsea, Middlesex, and died in March 1945 in Westminster, London, England. He married MARY ANN FALKNER on 20 April 1884 at St. Saviour, Chelsea, England,

33 v. FREDERICK STEPHEN RAISON, born on 17 March 1866 in London, Chelsea, Middlesex, and died on 6 June 1940 in Chelsea, London. He married JANE AMELIA SELBY on 24 June 1894 in Chelsea, London.

34 vi. ELLEN EMMA JANE RAISON, born on 1 October 1868 in Chelsea St Luke, London, and died on 5 February 1905 in Reading, Berkshire, England. She married ALFRED JOHN BROWN on 6 April 1896 at St Simon Zelotes, Chelsea, London.

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[108] "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Raison, Kensington.

[109] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Rose Raison, Apr-May-Jun 1901, Chelsea.

[110] Citation needed for marriage.

[111] For birth see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Raison, Chelsea. For death see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Raison, Apr-May-Jun 1825, Kensington.

[112] For birth see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Edward Raison, Oct-Nov-Dec 1854, Chelsea. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007, " *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Raison, Dec 1928, West Ham.

[113] For birth see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Roger Daniel Raison, Oct-Nov-Dec 1856, Chelsea. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Roger Daniel Raison, buried 13 Mar 1911.

[114] Citation needed for marriage.

[115] For birth see "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Eliza Raison, Chelsea. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007, Eliza Raison, Mar 1924, Chelsea.

**12. MARY ANN BARBER**, daughter of Sarah Rook and Thomas Barber, was born on 18 February 1848 in Ospringe, Kent, England.[116] She died on 14 February 1925 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, England.[117]

Ellen married **JAMES MARK JENNINGS** on 28 March 1880 in Tottenham, Middlesex, England.[118] Mark, the son George Jennings and Mary Ann Pegram, was born on 13 July 1852 in Great Munden, Hertfordshire, and died on 6 June 1922 in Hoddesdon.[119]

Children of Mary Ann Barber and James Mark Jennings:

35 i. ALBERT JENNINGS, born on 16 January 1881 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died in March 1916 in Hoddesdon. He married FLORENCE EMILY RICHARDS in July 1903 in Portsmouth, Hampshire, England.

36 ii. ORPIN CHARLES JENNINGS, born on 15 November 1882 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died on 26 November 1968 in Walthamstow, Middlesex, England. He married ALICE AMELIA FULLER on 16 January 1909 in Stanstead Abbots, Hertfordshire.

iii. AGNES E. JENNINGS, born in 1884 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died between 1891 and 1901 in Hoddesdon.[120]

iv. ARCHIBALD JENNINGS, born in 1886 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died on 15 February 1961 in Hoddesdon.[121] He married MABEL GROOM in 1911 in Hertfordshire.[122] Mable, the daughter of William Groom and Emma Head, was born on 5 January 1886 in Standon, Hertfordshire, and died on 21 October 1973 in Hertford, Hertfordshire.[123]

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[116] Citation needed for exact birth date. For year and place see "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mary Ann Barber, Ospringe.

[117] "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mary Ann Jennings, died 14 Feb 1925.

[118] Citation needed for marriage.

[119] Citation needed for exact birth date. For year and place see "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), James Jennings, Broxbourne. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), James Jennings, died 6 Jun 1922.

[120] For birth year see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Agnes Grace Jennings, Oct-Nov-Dec 1884, Ware registration district. For birth place see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Agnes E. Jennings, Hoddesdon. Citation needed for death.

[121] For birth year see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Archibald Jennings, Oct-Nov-Dec 1886, Ware registration district. For birth place see "1901 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Archibald Jennings, Hoddesdon. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Archibald Jennings, 15 Feb 1961.

[122] Citation needed for marriage.

[123] For birth date see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mabel Jennings, born 5 Jan 1886. For birth place see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mabel Grom, Standon. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mabel Jennings, 21 Oct 1973.

37 v. JANE ELIZABETH JENNINGS, born on 23 January 1889 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died on 6 February 1970 in Ipswich, Suffolk, England. She married SHALLUM ALFRED MOORE in 1919 in Hertfordshire.

38 vi. JAMES MARK JENNINGS, born on 1 January 1891 in Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, and died on 6 October 1959 at 176 Ware Road in Hoddesdon. He married AMY EDITH RUDD on 21 March 1915 in Great Amwell, Hertfordshire.

**13. ELLEN ROSE BARBER**, daughter of Sarah Rook and Thomas Barber, was born in 1851 in Ospringe, Kent, England.[124]

Ellen married **JOSEPH GEORGE GRIFFITH** on 4 June 1876 in St. George the Martyr, Queen Square, England.[125] Joseph was born about 1846 in Holborn, London.[126]

Child of Ellen Rose Barber and Joseph George Griffith:

i. JOSEPH THOMAS GRIFFITHS, born in 1888 in Holborn.[127]

**14. CHARLES EDWARD SHILLING**, son of Matilda Rook and George Shilling, was born on 26 July 1846 in Badlesmere, Kent, England.[128] He died in 1833 and was buried on 28 February 1883 in Ospringe, Kent.[129]

Charles married **JANE HORTON** on 14 October 1865 in The Parish Church, Throwley, Kent.[130] Jane, the daughter of James Horton and Maria Bones, was born on 7 September 1845 in Sheldwich, Kent, and died in December 1935 in Willesborough, Ashford, Kent.[131]

Children of Charles Edward Shilling and Jane Horton:

39 i. JAMES WILLIAM SHILLING, born on 5 November 1866 in Boughton, Kent, and died in March 1946 in the Folkestone registration district in Kent. He married JANE BAKER in 1889 in the Faversham registration district in Kent.

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[124] "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen R Barber, Ospringe.

[125] "London, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1921," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Joseph George Griffith and Ellen Rose Barber, 4 Jun 1876, St George the Martyr, Queen Square Camden.

[126] "1901 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Joseph G Griffith, St Andrew Holborn.

[127] For birth year see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Joseph Thomas Griffiths, Jul-Aug-Sep 1888, Holborn registration disctict. For birth place see "1901 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Joseph L Griffiths, St Andrew Holborn.

[128] Citation needed for birth.

[129] "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Edward Shilling, buried 28 Feb 1883.

[130] Citation needed for marriage. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Shilling, Oct-Nov-Dec 1865, Faversham registration district.

[131] Citation needed for birth. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Jane Cryer, Dec 1935, East Ashford.

ii. HENRY J. SHILLING, born about 1869 in Bredgar, Kent,[132]

40 iii. FRANCES ANN SHILLING, born on 25 July 1869 in Westwell, Kent, and died in December 1933 in the East Ashford registration district. She married John Cross on 5 February 1895 in Boughton Malherbe, Kent.

41 iv. WILLIAM SHILLING, born on 13 December 1871 in Westwell, Kent, and died in March 1957 in Chatham, Kent. He married MABEL CARD in September 1898 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent,

v. ALICE M. SHILLING, born about 1872 in West Peckham, Kent.[133]

vi. ELLEN SHILLING, born in about 1874 in Ospringe, Kent, and baptized on 2 August 1874 in Ospringe.[134]

vii. GEORGE EDWARD SHILLING, born in 1876 in Ospringe, Kent, baptized on 1 October 1876 in Ospringe, and died on 7 June 1923 in Medway, Kent.[135]

42 viii. ALBERT JOHN SHILLING, born on 29 September 1878 in Ospringe, Kent, and died on 22 May 1913 in Ashford, Kent. He married MARY JANE CHITTENDEN on 19 January 1901 in Ashford.

43 ix. ALICE CAROLINE SHILLING, born on 18 June 1881 in Ospringe, Kent, and died on 29 April 1954 in Kent. She married ERNEST WALTER CARPENTER in 1900 in East Ashford registration district, Kent.

44 x. EMMA JANE SHILLING, born on 21 January 1883 at 110 Cyprus Road in Faversham, Kent, and died in April 1970 in Ashford, Kent. She married ROBERT COLEMAN in 1905 in the East Ashford registration district.

xi. CHARLES EDWARD LEWIS SHILLING, born in 1885 in the Faversham registration district.[136]

**15. ELLEN ROSE SHILLING**, daughter of Matilda Rook and George Shilling, was born on 26 November 1848 in Badlesmere, Kent, England.[137] She died on 28 February 1929 in Faversham, Kent.[138]

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[132] Citation needed for birth.

[133] Citation needed for birth.

[134] For birth place see "1901 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Shilling, Ospringe. For baptism see "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Shilling, 2 Aug 1874, Ospringe.

[135] For birth place see "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Geroge E. Shilling, Ospringe. For baptism see "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Edward Shilling, 1 Oct 1876, Ospringe. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Edward Shilling, died 7 Jun 1923.

[136] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Edward L Shilling, Apr-May-Jun 1885, Faversham.

[137] Citation needed for birth date. For birth place see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen R Shilling, Badlesmere.

[138] "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Rose Pepper, 28 Feb 1929.

Ellen married **HENRY WILLIAM PEPPER** on 23 November 1867 in Westwell, Kent.[139] Henry, the son of Martin Pepper and Maria Spillett, was born on 9 August 1844 in Westwell and died on 18 August 1929 in Throwley Faversham.[140]

Children of Ellen Rose Shilling and Henry William Pepper:

45 i. ELLEN DORCAS PEPPER, born on 18 May 1868 in Throwley, Kent, and died on 23 September 1959 in Dartford, Kent. She married HENRY WILLIAM WALLIS on 25 Dec 1894 in Faversham, Kent.

46 ii. MATILDA JANE PEPPER, born on 28 July 1870 in Throwley, Kent, and died on 16 August 1947 in Sittingbourne, Kent. She married THOMAS EDWARD TUMBER in January 1895 in Faversham, Kent.

iii. MARY ANN PEPPER, baptized on 24 November 1872 in Throwley, Kent.[141]

47 iv. WALTER HENRY PEPPER, born on 25 September 1874 in Throwley, Kent, and died on 8 January 1959 in Newton, Lackawanna, Pennsylvania. He married EMILY PRICE.

v. EDITH ROSE PEPPER, baptized on 28 August 1881 in Throwley, Kent.[142]

vi. ETHEL WINIFRED PEPPER, baptized on 15 February 1886 in Throwley, Kent, and died circa September 1967 in Chatham, Kent.[143] She married FRANK FEATHERSTONE on 4 December 1920 in Throwley.[144] Frank, the son of George Featherstone and Mary Ann Dawson, was born in July 1888 in Sittingbourne, Kent, and died in December 1968 in Chatham,[145]

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[139] "England, Select Marriages, 1538–1973," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Henry Pepper and Ellen Rosa Shilling, 23 Nov 1867.

[140] Citation needed for birth date. For birth place see "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Henry Pepper, Westwell. Citation needed for exact death date. For year see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William H Pepper, registration date Sep 1929, Faversham.

[141] "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mary Ann Pepper, 24 Nov 1872.

[142] "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edith Rosa Pepper, 28 Aug 1881.

[143] For baptism see "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ethel Winifred Pepper, 15 Feb 1886. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ethel W Featherstone, registration date Sep 1967.

[144] "England, Select Marriages, 1538–1973," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Featherstone and Ethel Winnifred Pepper, 4 Dec 1920.

[145] Citation needed for birth date. For birth place see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Featherstone, Milton. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Featherstone, Dec 1968, Chatham.

**16. WALTER SHILLING**, son of Matilda Rook and George Shilling, was born circa October 1853 in Badlesmere, Kent, England.[146] He died on 3 October 1913 in Faversham, Kent.[147]

Walter married **CAROLINE ELIZABETH POST** on 16 October 1875 in Preston, Faversham.[148] Caroline, the daughter of James and Selina Post, was born on 6 June 1856 in Willesborough, Kent, and died on 1 March 1924 in Faversham.[149]

Children of Walter Shilling and Caroline Elizabeth Post:

i. ELLEN ELIZABETH SHILLING, born circa April 1876 in Faversham, Kent, and died on 30 March 1888 in Ospringe, Kent.[150]

48 ii. EMMA DORCAS SHILLING, born on 2 March 1877 in Faversham, Kent, and died on 9 February 1951 in Thanet, Kent. She married ALBERT EDWARD SMITH on 31 March 1901 in Thanet.

iii. WILLIAM HENRY SHILLING, born on 26 July 1879 in Faversham, Kent, and died in 1880 in Faversham.[151]

iv. PERCY WALTER SHILLING, born on 6 April 1881 in Ospringe, Kent, and died in 5 June 1881 in Ospringe.[152]

v. CHARLES EDWARD SHILLING, born on 10 February 1883 in Faversham, Kent, and died on 28 February 1883 in Ospringe, Kent.[153]

vi. FRANK LEWIS SHILLING, born on 3 July 1884 in Faversham, Kent, and died on 6 January 1885 in Ospringe, Kent.[154]

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[146] For date see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter Shilling, Oct-Nov-Dec 1853, Faversham. For place see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter Shilling, Badlesmere.

[147] Citation needed for death.

[148] Citation needed for marriage.

[149] Citation needed for birth and death dates. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Caroline Elizabeth Post, Apr-May-Jun 1856, East Ashford, "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Caroline E Shilling, Mar 1924, Faversham.

[150] For birth see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Elizabeth Shilling, Apr-May-Jun 1876, Faversham. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Elizabeth Shilling, 30 Mar 1888.

[151] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Henry Shilling, Jul-Aug-Sep 1879, Faversham. For death see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), William Henry Shilling, Jan-Feb-Mar 1880, Faversham.

[152] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Percy Walter Shilling, Apr-May-Jun 1881, Favershan. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Percy Walter Shilling, 5 Jun 1881, Ospringe.

[153] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Edward Shilling, Jan-Feb-Mar 1883, Faversham. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Charles Edward Shilling, 28 Feb 1883, Ospringe.

[154] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Lewis Shilling, Jul-Aug-Sep 1884, Faversham.

vii. JAMES GEORGE SHILLING, born on 17 December 1885 in Faversham, Kent, and died on 14 Aug 1886 in Ospringe, Kent.[155]

viii. REGINALD THOMAS SHILLING, born circa April 1889 in Faversham, Kent, and died in December 1943 in Sittingbourne, Kent.[156]

ix. SYDNEY ERNEST SHILLING, born on 19 May 1896 in Faversham, Kent, died in 1897 and was buried on 21 July 1897 in Preston-Next-Faversham, Kent.[157]

49 x. ARTHUR HAROLD SHILLING, born on 17 November 1897 in Preston, Kent, and died in March 1969 in Dover, Kent. He married DOROTHY MAY GOLDFINCH in 1916 in Faversham.

**17. DORCAS SHILLING**, daughter of Matilda Rook and George Shilling, was born on 6 February 1858 in Badlesmere, Kent, England.[158] She died on 29 August 1941 in Sittingbourne, Kent.[159]

Dorcas married **GEORGE TUMBER** on 27 November 1880 in Faversham, Kent.[160] George, the son of Thomas Tumber and Mary Knight, was born on 14 February 1859 in Norton, Kent, and died on 3 May 1944 in Sittingbourne.[161]

Children of Dorcas Shilling and George Tumber:

50 i. ELLEN ROSE TUMBER, born on 21 October 1881 in Goodnestone, Kent, and died in March 1940 in Canterbury, Kent. She married WILLIAM HENRY SELLEN on 13 June 1899 in Newnham, Kent.

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For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Lewis Shilling, 6 Jan 1885, Ospringe.

[155] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), James George Shilling, Jan-Feb-Mar 1886, Faversham. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), James George Shilling, 14 Aug 1886, Ospringe.

[156] For birth see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Reginald Thomas Shilling, Apr-May-Jun 1889, Faversham. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Reginald T Shilling, Dec 1943, Sittingbourne.

[157] Citation needed for birth date. See "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sidney Ernest L Shilling, Apr-May-Jun 1896, Faversham. For death see "England, Select Deaths and Burials, 1538-1991," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sidney Shilling, buried 21 Jul 1897, Preston-Next-Faversham.

[158] Citation needed for birth date. For place see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Darcus Shilling, Badlesmere.

[159] Citation needed for death date. See "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Dorcas Tumber, registration date Sep 1941, Sittingbourne.

[160] "England, Select Marriages, 1538–1973," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Tumber and Dorcas Shilling, 27 Nov 1880, Faversham.

[161] For birth see "1939 England and Wales Register," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Tumber, Swale, Kent. For death see "England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), George Tumber, 3 May 1944, Kent.

51 ii. MARY MATILDA TUMBER, born on 5 November 1883 in Badlesmere, Faversham, Kent, and died on 20 June 1967 in Chatham, Kent. She married PATRICK JOHN THOMAS PICOT on 31 December 1908 in Milton, Kent.

52 iii. DORCAS ELIZABETH TUMBER, born circa December 1885 in Preston, Kent, and died in September 1960 in Sittingbourne. She married CHARLES FREDERICK TUMBER circa October 1913 in Milton, Kent.

iv. ARTHUR TUMBER, born in 1887.[162]

**18. SARAH ELIZABETH ROACH**, daughter of Charles Henry and Ellen (Lane) (Cornell) Roach, was born on 8 January 1857 in Berlin, Ontario, Canada, and died on 15 June 1911 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan.[163]

She married **THOMAS THOMSON** on 1 July 1878 in Stratford, Ontario, Canada.[164] Thomas was born on 1 June 1855 to Joseph Thomson and Litha Gruis and died on 21 March 1929 in Grand Rapids.[165] Thomas was a blacksmith.

Sarah and Thomas immigrated to the United States in 1891.[166] They were buried in Greenwood Cemetery in Grand Rapids Michigan.[167]

Children of Sarah Elizabeth Roach and Thomas Thomson:

53 i. CHARLES PERCIVIERE THOMSON born on 7 May 1880, in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 20 November 1902 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, CORNELIA LORETTA NOOM. He died on 6 November 1938 in Grand Rapids.

54 ii. VESTELLA EDNA THOMSON born in January 1885 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married on 20 June 1905 in Grand Rapids, RAYMOND PALMER. She died on 28 December 1952 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

**19. CHARLES HENRY ROACH**, son of Charles Henry and Ellen (Lane) (Cornell) Roach, was born on 13 November 1860, in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and died on 5 March 1927 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada.[168] He worked for the Grand Trunk Railway.

He married **MAGDALENA BAYER** on 31 March 1885 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.[169] Magdalena was born on 8 July 1860 in Preston, Ontario to John

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[162] Citation needed for birth.

[163] Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950, Registered No. 880, Sarah Elizabeth Thomson. Birth calculated from age at death.

[164] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 28, No. 088630, Thomas Thomson & Sarah Elizabeth Roach.

[165] Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950, File No. 013681, Thomas Thomson. Birth calculated from age at death.

[166] Household of Thomas Thomson, Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, 1900 United States Census, Roll: 722; Page: 2B; Enumeration District: 0070; FHL microfilm: 1240722.

[167] Gravestones of Thomas and Sarah Thomson, Greenwood Cemetery, Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan; Find A Grave Memorial# 27776372

[168] Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938, 1943-1944, and Deaths Overseas, 1939-1947, No. 031983, Charles Henry Roach. Birth calculated from age at death.

[169] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 51, No. 011801, Charles Henry Roach & Magdalena Bayer.

Leonhard and Ursula (Hepper) Byers, and died on 2 October 1922 in Thunder Bay.[170]

Charles and Magdalena were both buried in Mountain View Cemetery in Thunder Bay.[171]

Children of Charles Henry Roach and Magdalena Bayer:

55 i. CHARLES PERCIVAL LEONHARDT ISAAC ROACH born on 2 March 1886 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 1 June 1912 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, EDITH "IDA" KUHL. He died on 31 May 1965 in Port Arthur, Ontario, Canada.

ii. WILLIAM FRANCIS HAMILTON ROACH was born on 9 March 1888 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and died on 26 February 1952 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.[172] William married ADA ALICE REDDY POTTICARY.[173] Ada, daughter of Aaron Peddycor and Rose Newman, was born on 25 March 1890 in York, Ontario, Canada.[174]

56 iii. OLIVIA URCILLA ELLENOR ROACH born on 22 November 1892 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 6 September 1913 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, FREDERICK W. PRATT. She died in 1973 in Thunder Bay.

57 iv. CLARENCE FREDERICK ROACH born on 12 June 1897 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 4 April 1923 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada, ALLISON DARYMPLE. He died in 1970 in Thunder Bay.

58 v. EDMOND MILTON ROACH born on 23 July 1899 in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and married on 8 June 1926 in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada, EDITH MAY HYKES. He died in 1972 in Thunder Bay.

**20. GEORGE WALTER ROACH**, son of Charles Henry and Ellen (Lane) (Cornell) Roach, was born on 6 September 1863,[175] in Thorndale, Ontario, Canada,[176] and died on 13 July 1924, in York, Ontario, Canada.[177] He worked for the Grand Trunk Railway. George moved to Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, soon after his marriage and his first child was born there. However, the family them moved back to Canada and lived in Hamilton, Ontario.

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[170] Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938, 1943-1944, and Deaths Overseas, 1939-1947, No. 031570, Magdalena Roach. Birth calculated from age at death.

[171] Gravestone of Charles Henry and Magdalena Roach, Mountain View Cemetery, Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada; Find A Grave Memorial# 80316454.

[172] Ontario, Canada Births, 1858-1913, Series: MS929; Reel: 90, William Francis Hamilton Roach. Citation needed for death.

[173] Citation needed for marriage.

[174] "Ontario, Canada Births, 1869-1909," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ada Alice Reddyor Peddycor, 25 Mar 1890.

[175] Household of George W. Roach, Nipissing, Ontario, Canada, 1911 Canada Census, Page: 6; Family No: 61.

[176] Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938, 1943-1944, and Deaths Overseas, 1939-1947, No. 004629, George Walter Roach.

[177] Ontario, Canada, Deaths, 1869-1938, 1943-1944, and Deaths Overseas, 1939-1947, No. 004629, George Walter Roach.

He married **Anna Elizabeth Krug** on 17 October 1883 in Amulree, North Easthope, Perth County, Ontario, Canada.[178] Anna was born in September 1865,[179] to Balthasar and Mary Anne Krug.[180]

Children of George Walter Roach and Anna Elizabeth Krug:

59 i. ETHEL IRENE ROACH born on 23 January 1885 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan.

60 ii. MARY ELIZABETH ROACH born on 18 February 1888 in Wentworth, Ontario, Canada, and married on 10 October 1906 in Wentworth, ROY CHRYSLER. She died in 1979 and is buried in Burlington, Ontario, Canada.

iii. MARGARET FLORENCE ROACH was born on 6 October 1889 in Wentworth, Ontario, Canada,[181] and died on 9 November 1958 in Sioux Lookout, Kent, Ontario, Canada.[182] She married RICHARD DYNES on 28 May 1913 in Timiskaming, Ontario.[183] Richard was born on 5 February 1885 in Ontario, Canada, to Edward Dynes and Lizzie Booth, and died in Canada.[184]

61 iv. CHARLES EDWIN ROACH born on 12 October 1892 in Wentworth, Ontario, Canada, and married on 20 December 1920 in Parry Sound, Ontario, Canada, KATHERINE VANESSA MENZIES.

62 v. ANNIE HAZEL "MINNIE" ROACH born on 15 September 1896 in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, and married first on 29 December 1917 in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, DONALD STEWART. She possibly married second, JAMES DOUGLAS HAGER.

**21. SAMUEL JAMES ROACH**, son of Charles Henry and Ellen (Lane) (Cornell) Roach, was born on 29 May 1865 in Thorndale, Ontario, Canada, and died on 12 May 1936 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan.[185] He started working for the Grand Trunk Railway and later worked for the Lake Shoe and Michigan Southern Railroad. In 1888, he worked as a night yardmaster. Samuel converted to Catholicism to marry his wife, who was of Irish ancestry.

He married **MARY ELLEN MCEVOY** on 23 May 1893, in Grand Rapids.[186] Mary Ellen was born on 18 November 1872 in Dowagiac, Cass, Michigan to Charles P.

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[178] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 44, No. 009606, George Walter Roach & Anna Elizabeth Krug.

[179] Household of George W. Roach, Nipissing, Ontario, Canada, 1911 Canada Census, Page: 6; Family No: 61.

[180] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 44, No. 009606, George Walter Roach & Anna Elizabeth Krug.

[181] Ontario, Canada Births, 1858-1913, Series: MS929; Reel: 96, Margaret Florence Roach.

[182] Find A Grave Memorial# 176754318.

[183] Ontario, Canada, Marriages, 1801-1928, 1933-1934, Series: MS932; Reel: 271, Richard Dynes & Margaret Florence Roach.

[184] Find A Grave Memorial# 176754687.

[185] Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950, File No. 025462, Samuel J Roach. Birth calculated from age at death.

[186] Michigan, Marriage Records, 1867-1952, Record Number: 6685, Samuel J. Roach & Mary Ellen McEvoy.

and Mary Ellen "Nelly" (Emperor) McEvoy and died on 19 March 1935 in Grand Rapids.[187]

Samuel and Mary Ellen are buried in Saint Andrews Catholic Cemetery in Grand Rapids.[188]

Children of Samuel James Roach and Mary Ellen McEvoy:

i. HELEN MARIE ROACH born on 20 March 1894 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and died on 19 April 1982 in Grand Rapids.[189]

63 ii. ELIZABETH LOUISE ROACH born on 5 July 1895 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married on 17 May 1924 in Grand Rapids, EDWARD PAUL WHALEN. She died on 14 June 1964.

64 iii. CHARLES HUBERT "HUGH" ROACH born on 5 August 1897 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married on 14 November 1922 in Grand Rapids, MARIE HOBAN. He died on 5 November 1974.

65 iv. FRANCIS LAMYRA ROACH born on 17 December 1899 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married, EDWARD BLAKELY. She died on 11 February 1983 in Walker, Kent, Michigan.

66 v. GERALD EDWARD ROACH born on 15 November 1901 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married MARY THERESA WOODHOUSE. He died on 7 September 1955 and is buried in Wyoming, Kent, Michigan.

vi. S. JEROME ROACH was born on 8 November 1905 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and died on 6 February 1970 in Borgess Hospital in Kalamazoo.[190] He was baptized in November 1905 at St. Alphonus Church and also received his first communion and confirmation at that church. He took the name Phillip upon his confirmation. Jerome married DOLORES HONORA FIRTSCH on 3 July 1947 in Grand Rapids.[191] Dolores was born on 18 June 1909 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan, to Fred and Minnie Firtsch, and died on 1 November 1988 in Kalamazoo.[192] Dolores received a degree from Notre Dame University and served as a professor of sociology at Catholic University in Michigan. Both are buried in Resurrection Cemetery in Wyoming, Kent, Michigan.[193]

67 vii. THOMAS GERARD LUCIAN ROACH born on 16 October 1909 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married on 10 June 1939 in Grand Rapids, MARION R. BEK. He died on 24 July 1977 in Grand Rapids.

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[187] For birth see "Michigan, Births and Christenings Index, 1867-1911," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Mary McEvoy, 18 Nov 1872. For death see Gravestone of Mary Ellen Roach, Saint Andrews Catholic Cemetery, Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, Find A Grave Memorial# 23404231.

[188] Gravestone of Samuel James Roach, Saint Andrews Catholic Cemetery, Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, Find A Grave Memorial# 23403807.

[189] "Michigan, Death Index, 1971-1996," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Helen M. Roach.

[190] Resurrection Cemetery, Wyoming, Kent, Michigan, Find A Grave Memorial# 23404552.

[191] Michigan, Marriage Records, 1867-1952, S Jerome Roach & Dolores Fritsch.

[192] Michigan, Death Index, 1971-1996, Dolores H. Roach.

[193] Resurrection Cemetery, Wyoming, Kent, Michigan, Find A Grave Memorial# 23404552.

68 viii. DOROTHY ESTHER ROACH born on 1 April 1911 in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, and married on 29 May 1941 in Grand Rapids, JOSEPH M. HANSEN. She died on 18 June 1982 in Grand Rapids.

**22. ELIZA JOHNCOCK**, daughter of Rebecca Rook and Thomas Johncock, was born in 1847 in Ospringe, Kent, England.[194] She died in 1906 in Dartford, Kent.[195]

Eliza married **ROBERT SCOTT** in 1867 in Faversham, Kent.[196] Robert, the son of Stephen and Sarah Scott, was born about 1841 in Brook Wye, Kent, and died in April 1904 in Dartford.[197]

Children of Eliza Johncock and Robert Scott:

69 i. ROSA SCOTT, baptized on 28 July 1867 in Selling, Kent, and died in March 1951 in Bridge, Kent. She married JOHN HOVERY circa October 1889 in Dartford, Kent.
70 ii. ROBERT SCOTT, born about 1869 in Selling Kent. He married ELIZA DURANT on 4 August 1890 in Erith, Kent.
iii. SARAH REBECCA SCOTT, baptized on 16 June 1872 in Selling Kent.[198]
iv. ALFRED SCOTT, born about 1875 in Selling Kent.[199]
v. EMMA SCOTT, born about 1881 in Dartford, Kent.[200]
71 vi. GEORGE SCOTT, born about 1882 in Crayford, Kent. He married MAUD VIOLET KEENE in 1904 in Kent.

**23. EDWARD ELIJAH JOHNCOCK**, son of Rebecca Rook and Thomas Johncock, was born in 1853 in Ospringe, Kent, England.[201] He died in 1938 in Malling, Kent.[202]

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[194] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Eliza Johncock, Jan-Feb-Mar 1847, Faversham. "1851 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Eliza Johncock, Ospringe.

[195] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Eliza Scott, Jan-Feb-Mar 1906, Dartford.

[196] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Robert Scott and Eliza Johncock, Apr-May-Jun 1867, Faversham.

[197] For birth see "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Robert Scott, Wye. For death see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Death Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Robert Scott, Apr-May-Jun 1908, Dartford.

[198] "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Rebecca Scott, baptized 16 Jun 1872, Selling.

[199] "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Alfred Scott, born about 1875, Crayford.

[200] "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Emma Scott, born about 1881, Crayford.

[201] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edward Johncock, born 1853, Selling.

[202] "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edward Johncock, Jun 1938, Malling.

Edward married **SARAH ANN ELIZABETH BARBER** circa October 1874 in Faversham, Kent.[203] Sarah, daughter of James Barber and Anne Denne, was born about 1858 in Northfleet, Kent.[204]

Children of Edward Elijah Johncock and Sarah Ann Elizabeth Barber:

i. EDWIN WILLIAM R. JOHNCOCK, born circa April 1877 in Stalisfield, Kent, and died on 20 August 1905 in Peshawar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan.[205]
ii. FRANK C. JOHNCOCK, born circa July 1879 in Stalisfield, Kent, and died in September 1940 in the Strood registration district, Kent.[206] He married KATHERINE ANNIE BENNETT circa October 1901 in the Malling registration district, Kent.[207] Katherine, daughter of Henry Bennett and Ann Jane Hull, was born circa July 1882 in Ash, Kent, and died in June 1962 in Chatham, Kent.[208]
iii. ELLEN ELIZA JOHNCOCK, born circa December 1881 in Faversham, Kent.[209]

**24. BENJAMIN JOHNCOCK**, son of Rebecca Rook and Thomas Johncock, was born circa June 1860 in Selling, Kent, England.[210] He and died in 1893 in the Dartford registration district, Kent, and was buried on 13 May 1893 in Crayford, Kent.[211]

Benjamin married **SARAH ANN HANDFORD** circa October 1887 in Faversham, Kent.[212] Sarah, daughter of Thomas Handford and Francis Emma Alaway, was born on 23 September 1866 in Linstead, Kent, and died in 1893 and was buried on 26 June 1893 in Crayford.[213]

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[203] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edward Johncock, Oct-Nov-Dec 1874, Faversham.

[204] Citation needed for birth.

[205] For birth see "1881 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edwin R. Johncock, born 1877, Selling. For death see "UK, Army Registers of Soldiers' Effects, 1901-1929," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Edwin Wm Johncock, died 20 Aug 1905.

[206] For birth see "1911 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Johncock, born 1897, Hartley and Ash. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Johncock, Sep 1940, Strood.

[207] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Frank Johncock, Oct-Nov-Dec 1901, Malling.

[208] For birth date see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Katherine Annie Bennett, Jul-Aug-Sep 1882, Dartford. For birth place see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Katherine A Bennett, born 1883, Ryarsh. For death see "England & Wales, Civil Registration Death Index, 1916-2007," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Katherine A Johncock, Jun 1962, Chatham.

[209] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Ellen Eliza Johncock, Oct-Nov-Dec 1881, Faversham.

[210] "1861 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Benjamin Johncock, born 1860, Selling.

[211] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Deaths and Burials, 1813-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Benjamin Johncock, buried 13 May 1893.

[212] "England & Wales, FreeBMD Marriage Index: 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Benjamin Johncock, Oct-Nov-Dec 1887, Faversham.

[213] For birth see "England, Select Births and Christenings, 1538-1975," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Ann Handford, 23 Sep 1866, Linstead. For death see "Bexley,

Children of Benjamin Johncock and Sarah Ann Handford:

i. ROSA E. JOHNCOCK, born circa 1885 in Sittingbourne, Kent.[214]

72 ii. EDITH EMILY JOHNCOCK, born on 17 April 1887 in Crayford, Kent, and died in September 1980 in Colchester, Essex. She married JONATHAN FREEMAN WILLSON on 26 December 1912 in Slade Green, Kent.

iii. WALTER CHARLES JOHNCOCK, born circa April 1889 in Crayford, Kent.[215] He married MARY ELIZABETH REINHARDT on 7 August 1920 in Slade Green, Kent.[216] Mary, daughter of Charles Thomas Reinhardt, was born about 1889.[217]

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Kent, England, Church of England Deaths and Burials, 1813-1985," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Sarah Ann Johncock, buried 26 Jun 1893.

[214] "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Rosa E Johncock, born 1885, Crayford.

[215] For birth date see "England & Wales, FreeBMD Birth Index, 1837-1915," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter Charles Johncock, Apr-May-Jun 1889, Dartford. For birth place see "1891 England Census," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter C Johncock, born 1890, Crayford.

[216] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1935," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter Charlles Johncock and Mary Elizabeth Reinhardt, 7 Aug 1920, Slade Green.

[217] "Bexley, Kent, England, Church of England Marriages and Banns, 1754-1935," *Ancestry.com* (http://www.ancestry.com/), Walter Charlles Johncock and Mary Elizabeth Reinhardt, 7 Aug 1920, Slade Green.